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This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office

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Applicants hereby elect Group I, namely Claims 1-35, 44-45, drawn to programming functionality.

Applicants reserve the right to file, at a later date, additional divisional applications claiming priority from the present application which are directed to any one or more of the non-elected Groups.

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